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secretion activityGroup Art Unit: To Be AssignedExaminer: To Be AssignedDate: June 29, 2001**REQUEST FOR INSPECTION AND COPY OF DOCUMENTS
IN PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE FILE**Hon. Asst. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that Ms. Betty Buxton of Cantwell & Paxtonbe allowed to inspect and make copies of any and all documents in the Patent and Trademark Office file of the
above-entitled application.

Respectfully submitted,

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